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Title: Method and Apparatus for Establishing Interleaver Synchronization in an Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM) Communication System

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Specification, Claims and Abstract – 14 pages
 Copy of 4 sheets of formal drawing(s) from prior application
 Copy of signed Declaration and Power of Attorney from prior application
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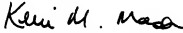
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1. This application is being filed by all the inventors named in the prior application.
2. The prior application is assigned of record to Lucent Technologies Inc.
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